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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

Prior to examination, please enter the following amendments in the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims:

67. (New) A driving method of a semiconductor device comprising an electric discharging

transistor, an n-channel amplifying transistor and an n-channel biasing transistor, wherein a drain terminal of the n-channel amplifying transistor is connected to an amplifying side power source line,

a source terminal of the n-channel amplifying transistor is connected to a drain terminal of the n-

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